

WHEREAS, the Special Master recommended, and the parties agreed with the Special Master's recommendation, that the Court certify this judgment as final pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 54(b); and

WHEREAS, Plaintiffs and BOE have agreed not to appeal this final judgment for Mr. Mendez.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the annexed Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law for Melvin Mendez (Exhibit 1) is adopted;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Mr. Mendez will have judgment against the BOE in the amount of \$1,046,966, consisting of:

1. Backpay in the amount of \$775,101;
2. Tax-component award in the amount of \$114,574;
3. LAST Fees in the amount of \$338;
4. ASAF account award in the amount of \$1,667;
5. CAR Day award in the amount of \$18,699;
6. Pre-judgment interest calculated to be \$136,587; and
7. Pension-related relief pursuant to the terms of the Court's Order dated December 17, 2018 (Pension Stipulation & Order, [ECF No. 1014]).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Mr. Mendez will be entitled to the following non-monetary relief:

1. The BOE is ordered to amend its internal service, salary, payroll, and human resources systems as follows:
 - a. Incorporate the "Pension Inputs" detailed in Paragraph 3(c) of Exhibit 1;
 - b. Incorporate Mr. Mendez's counterfactual monthly service history, as listed on Exhibit B to the Findings and Fact and Conclusions of Law for Mr. Mendez; and
 - c. Grant Mr. Mendez retroactive seniority based on his counterfactual monthly service history, as described in Paragraph 3 of Exhibit 1.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the Court adopts the Special Master's recommendation that this judgment be certified as final pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 54(b) and expressly determines that there is no just reason for delay for the reasons stated in the Special Master's Report and Recommendation.

This Judgment Entry is certified and entered by the Court pursuant to Rule 54(b) of the Federal Rule of Civil Procedure.

Dated: 3/14/2024

ENTERED

/s/ Kimba M. Wood